

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

RICHARD VANWECHEL,)	
)	CASE NO. C10-1554-JLR-MAT
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	ORDER GRANTING LIMITED
)	EXTENSION OF TIME OF BRIEFING
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE,)	SCHEDULE
Commissioner of Social Security,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

Plaintiff filed a Motion for Extension of Time to the parties' briefing schedule. (Dkt. 15)

The motion requests a 59-day extension because plaintiff's counsel is drafting a brief for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals. (Dkt. 16) The request for a nearly two month extension is excessive, and the Court declines to grant it. Plaintiff is granted a 30-day extension, and the briefing schedule is amended as follows:

Plaintiff's Opening Brief:	February 14, 2011
Defendant's Responsive Brief:	March 14, 2011
Plaintiff's optional Reply Brief:	March 28, 2011

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01 The Court urges both parties to carefully consider any future extension requests in this
02 case, since a second extension would likely preclude any additional extensions to either party.

03 DATED this 14th day of January, 2011.

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07 United States Magistrate Judge
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